Getting Them Reading and Loving It!

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**Resources and Supports:** (just to name a few!)

* **Reading Skills Step Ladder** - free resource from TpT <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Reading-Curriculum-and-Intervention-Guide-2505026>

Reading Skills Step Ladder

* **Comprehension Cootie Catchers** – Jen Runde’s TpT Store <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Store/Rundes-Room>
  + Primary Grades <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Reading-Response-Cootie-Catchers-for-Primary-Grades-1647979>
  + Upper Grades <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Cootie-Catcher-Comprehension-132724>
  + Non-fiction <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Nonfiction-Comprehension-Cootie-Catchers-254191>
* **Reading Strategies wiki** with tons of resources including: <http://readingstrategiesthatwork.wikispaces.com/>

Jen Runde's TpT Store

* + *****Sun West Reading Toolkit Grades 1-3***
  + PDF of this presentation
  + Reading Strategies in a variety of areas

Reading Strategies Wiki

* + Practical ideas that are teacher and student friendly
  + Graphic organizers
  + Reading strategies games

Great Graphic Organizers Wiki

Surviving the Multi-Grade Classroom Wiki

* + Classroom posters
  + Guided Reading Support Through 21st Century Competencies
  + Effectively using Word Walls and PWIM
  + Strategies to Support Struggling Readers
* **Surviving the Multi-Grade Classroom wiki** <http://survivingthemulti-gradeclassroom.wikispaces.com/>
* **Great Graphic Organizers wiki** <http://greatgraphicorganizers.wikispaces.com/>

Sun West Teacher Artifacts

* **Brain sharks** have been created to support DRA assessment, phonological awareness, oral language, inform – check out all of the Sun West wikis ☺
* **Saskatchewan Reads website** and document <https://saskatchewanreads.wordpress.com/>
* **Sun West Teacher Artifacts -** <http://21stcenturycompetencies.wikispaces.com/21CC+Artifacts>

**Web Resources:** (just to name a few!)

Sask Reads Website

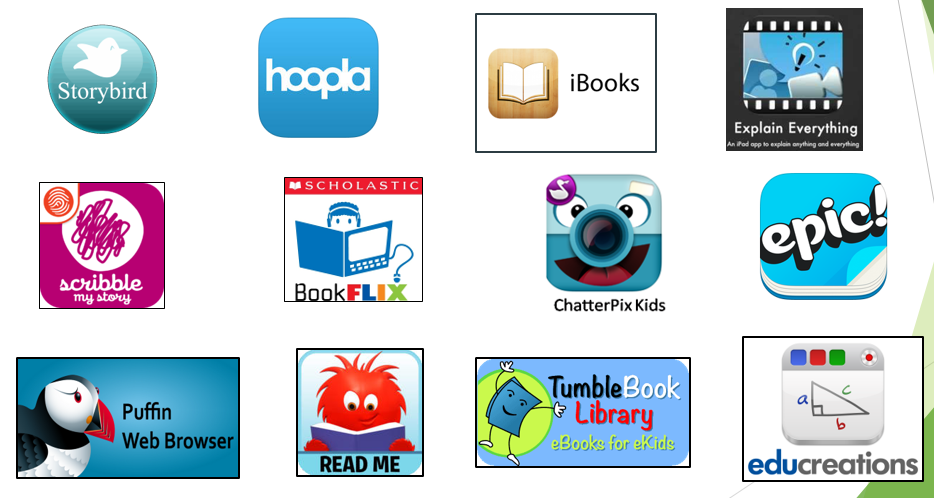
* <http://www.mauryk12.org/literacy/reading%20mentor%20texts.htm>
* <http://www.pinterest.com/brobeson/rdg-strategies-mentor-texts/>
* <http://ditchthattextbook.com/>

Be sure to check out all of the wonderful resources on **Pinterest** and **Twitter**!

* <http://www.the2sisters.com/theDaily5.html>
* <http://www.thedailycafe.com/>
* <http://www.schrockguide.net/critical-evaluation.html>

**Text Resources:** (just to name a few!)

* Strategies That Work - Stephanie Harvey and Anne Goudvis
* Mosaic of Thought - Ellin Keene and Susan Zimmerman
* Independent Reading, Inside the Box - Lisa Donnahue
* Reading Power - Adrienne Gear
* Teaching with Intention - Debbie Miller
* Reading With Meaning - Debbie Miller
* Guiding Readers - Lori Jamison Rog
* Guided Reading Basics - Lori Jamison Rog
* Making Thinking Visible - Ron Ritchhart, Mark Church, Karin Morrison
* Visualization Strategies -Jeffrey D. Wilhelm
* Balanced Literacy Essentials - Michelann Parr
* Guiding Readers and Writers: Teaching Comprehension, Genre, and Content Literacy – Fountas and Pinnell

**Incorporating Technology:**

Just a few apps and web-based resources:

* **Story Bird** – lets you and your students write, read, discover and share – either books that you create yourselves or a host of texts written by others.
* **Hoopla** - Instantly borrow free digital movies, music, eBooks, audiobooks and more, 24/7 with your library card. Lots of children’s titles.   
  Bringing you hundreds of thousands of movies, full music albums, audiobooks and more, hoopla is a revolutionary digital service made possible by your local library.
* **iBooks -** lets you and your students lose yourselves in a good story from the comfort of your Apple device. You’ll find classics, bestsellers, up-and-coming authors, great children’s books and even audiobooks—ready to download and enjoy.  
  **Scribble My Story** - designed for the classroom or home, Scribble is an app that empowers children to imagine, write, and illustrate their own stories. Featuring over 300 drawing tools, backgrounds, stickers, stamps and music to inspire creativity, and more than 35 fill-in-the-blank story starters ranging from the silly to the sublime, there is something here for every aspiring author.
* **Book FLIX – Scholastic** – sign up for a free trial - a remarkable online literacy resource that pairs classic fictional video storybooks with top-quality non-fiction eBooks to reinforce early reading skills and develop essential real-world knowledge and understanding. With colourful animation, rich audio, interactive content, and more, BookFlix will engage every student in your classroom or library. With the power of multimedia, BookFlix reinforces core reading skills and introduces children to a world of knowledge and exploration.
* **Explain Everything** - an easy-to-use design, screencasting, and interactive whiteboard tool with real-time collaboration that lets you animate, record, annotate, collaborate, and explore ideas, knowledge and understanding. Explain Everything provides teachers and students an opportunity to share thinking, reflect upon knowledge building, and assess both products and processes of learning.
* **ChatterPix Kids** is a free iPad app that you and your students can use to turn pictures into talking pictures. To create a talking picture just snap a picture with your iPad or import a picture from your iPad’s camera roll. After taking the picture just draw in a face and tap the record button to make your picture talk. Recordings can be up to thirty seconds in length. Before publishing the talking picture you can add fun stickers, text, and frames. Finished Chatter Pix projects are saved to your camera roll and from there can be exported it to a number of services including YouTube.
* **Epic!** is the leading all-you-can-read eBook library for kids 12 and under offering unlimited access to over 10,000 high-quality children’s books, now including thousands of read-to-me and Audio books.  There are 2 versions of Epic!, both accessible through the one app, but you will want to check out:
  + EPIC! FOR EDUCATORS - Epic! is absolutely free to elementary school teachers and school librarians in the US and Canada. A favorite with teachers and students around the country, Epic! brings access to unlimited children's literature into every classroom. Epic! encourages young readers with badges and rewards, while letting teachers assign books and track individual reading progress.
* **Puffin Web Browser** allows you to open flash programs on your iPad.
* **Read Me** - A new book EVERY DAY develops your child's love for books and a daily reading habit.
* **Tumblebook Library** – a free resource through your public library
* **Educreations** - a unique interactive whiteboard and screencasting tool that's simple, powerful, and fun to use. Annotate, animate, and narrate nearly any type of content as you explain any concept. Teachers can create short instructional videos and share them instantly with students, or ask students to show what they know and help friends learn something new.

